

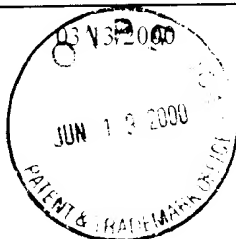
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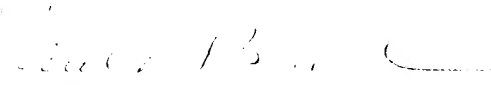
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(k), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
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Dear Sir:

In connection with the above-identified application, enclosed please find the verified English translation of the Japanese specification previously submitted. Also enclosed is our check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the foreign specification fee, a check for \$130.00 for the Missing Parts completion fee, as well as \$864.00 for the filing fee which was deferred at filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, Form 1449, 3 Reference(s) with attached English abstracts
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